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In re Application of
David Lisonbee et al
Serial No.: 10/663,353 : PETITION TO MAKE SPECIAL
Filed: September 15, 2003 :
Attorney Docket No.: 2820-5964 :

This is in response to applicants' petition filed February 26, 2004, to make the above-identified application special under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.102(d).

Applicant has not satisfied the provisions set forth in M.P.E.P. 708.02, II, relating to actual or potential infringement. Therefor the petition is **DISMISSED**.

Applicants' petition indicates the "making of a careful and thorough search" and that "all of the references...located...are already of record...in the application. Accordingly no additional references are supplied." However, no references are of record in the application and no listing of references was supplied. One or two US Patents are noted in the specification, however this does not satisfy the requirement set forth in M.P.E.P. 708.02, II. Some indication of the area searched and a listing of references discovered which are most closely related to the claimed subject matter is required.

In addition, some evidence of an allegedly infringing product identified by name, trademark, etc., should be presented where it is alleged that a product is infringed.

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